



December 22, 2004

Mr. Charles Terreni  
Chief Clerk/Administrator  
South Carolina Public Service Commission  
P. O. Drawer 11649  
Columbia, SC 29211

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RE: Docket No. 2004-55-E

Dear Mr. Terreni:

Pursuant to Public Service Commission Order No. 2004-367(A) issued in Docket No. 2004-55-E, Progress Energy Carolinas, Inc. ("PEC") submits the actual storm damage expenses incurred by PEC associated with an ice storm that occurred in January 2004. The total system cost of the storm was \$15,661,828. The total system incremental operating and maintenance costs were \$13,161,657. The South Carolina jurisdictional portion of such incremental operating and maintenance costs were \$9,073,667.

Very truly yours,

Len S. Anthony  
Deputy General Counsel-Regulatory Affairs

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